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VIA HAND DELIVERY

Hon Deborah Taylor Tate, Chairman Tennessee Regulatory Authority 460 James Robertson Parkway Nashville, TN 37238

Re: Implementation of the Federal Communications Commission's

Triennial Review Order (Nine-month Proceeding) (Switching)

Docket No. 03-00491

Dear Chairman Tate

This is to notify the Authority that BellSouth has no objection to AT&T's Motion to Require BellSouth to Respond to Discovery filed on February 3, 2004. In its Motion, AT&T requests that the Authority order BellSouth to respond to AT&T's Second Set of Interrogatories by February 11, 2004. BellSouth objected to those interrogatories on the basis that the requested information arguably falls under the category of Customer Proprietary Network Information, as defined by the Federal Communications Commission. BellSouth anticipates that its responses to the discovery will be submitted subject to the terms of the Protective Order previously entered in this proceeding.

A copy of this letter is being provided to counsel of record

Very truly yours,

Guy M Hicks

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on February 4, 2004, a copy of the foregoing document was served on the parties of record, via the method indicated

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